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Records of the Corporation
of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society
of the Yearly Meeting of Friends
for New England.

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WALTER G. LADD,
NOTARY
FOR
PUBLIC
PROVIDENCE, R. I.

On this twenty fourth (24th) day of June 1904

Then personally appeared

Sarah D. Brown

and affirmed that she would faithfully discharge her duties as Recording Secretary and Corporation Clerk of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England.

Walter J. Ladd
Notary Public

WALTER J. LADD. NOTARY PUBLIC PROVIDENCE, R.I.

The thirteenth annual meeting of the Corporation of the W.F.M.S. of the Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England, met at Providence R.I. 6mo. 24th. 1904.

President in the chair.

Records of last annual meeting were read and approved.

The annual report of the Corresponding Secretary was read and approved.

The annual report of the Treasurer and Auditors was read and approved, also the reports of the Trustees and Auditors of Permanent Fund.

The report of Box Committee was read and approved.

Reports of the Superintendents of Literature, Proportionate and Septennate Giving - and Junior and Juvenile Work, were read and accepted.

The nominating Committee appointed by the Ex. Board, presented the following report which was accepted. By unanimous

vote, the clerk was instructed to cast one ballot for all the officers and others as nominated, and they were accordingly appointed to the respective offices for the ensuing year.

President - Phebe S. Aydelott
Vice Prests. Myra E Frye, Alice W. Mayfield
Cor. Sec. Frances E Wheeler.
Rec. Sec. and Corporation Clerk. Sarah D Brown
Treasurer. Susan H Meader.

Quarterly Meeting Vice Presidents -
Rhode Island. Mary E Kimber
Salem. Lucy M Wood
Sandwich Annie M Cook
Falmouth Miriam C Webber
Smithfield Sarah J Swift
Vassalboro Eliza P Pierce
Dover Anna M Hussey
Fairfield Elizabeth M Hawkes
Carmichael Melissa S. Dearborn

Superintendents of Departments
Proportionate & Systematic Giving -
Elizabeth A Gifford
Literature - Ruth N. Petty
Juvenile & Junior Work -
Annie E Mayfield

Auditors - Mary S. Paige
Elizabeth N. Swan -
Bor. Committee - Lucy T. Herbert
Florence E. Trueblood
Trustees of Permanent Fund.
For one year Mary G. Winslow
" two " " Hannah J. Bailey
" three " Anna M. Gove -

Voted, that the Rec. Secretary prepare a summary of the reports presented to this meeting and forward the same to the Yearly Meeting.
A letter from Dr. A. E. Goddard was read and the President spoke of

recent letter from Rosa Lee.
Naomi Jay of Indiana and Mary J.
Weaver of New York were present and
gave cheering and appreciative messages
Adjourned.

A true record
Attest.

Sarah D. Brown
Rec. Sec. and Cor. Clerk.

The fourteenth annual meeting of the W. F. M. S. of the Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England met at Portland, Me., 6 Mo 23rd, 1905.

President in the Chair.

During the opening devotions an earnest spirit of prayer prevailed.

In the absence of the Clerk Alice W. Mayfield was asked to serve for the day.

The record of last year's meeting was read and approved.

The following annual reports were read and accepted viz—
(They are in the printed minutes of the Yearly Meeting for 1905)
Corresponding Secretary
Treasurer } and Auditor of each
Trustees
Box Committee
Literature
Junior and Juvenile Work.

Voted that a summary of these reports with the names of the new Executive Committee be presented to the Yearly Meeting by the Clerk.

Voted that the Corresponding Secretary be instructed to send a note of loving sympathy to George and Lucy S. Herbert because of their late bereavement.

The nominating committee appointed by the Executive Committee presented the following report which was accepted.

By unanimous vote the Clerk was instructed to cast one vote for the officers and others so nominated and they were accordingly elected to the respective offices for the ensuing year.

President Phebe S. Ryderott
Vice President Myra E. Frye
Alice W. Mayfield

Corresponding Secretary, Frances E. Wheeler
Rec. Sec and Corporation Clerk, Mary S. Paige
Treasurer Susan H. Meader

Quarterly Meeting Vice Presidents

Rhode Island	Mary E. Lumber
Salem	Lucy M. Wood
Sandwich	Annie M. Cook
Falmouth	Miriam C. Nebber
Smithfield	Sarah J. Swift
Vassalboro	Eliza P. Pierce
Dover	Anna M. Hussey
Fairfield	Elizabeth M. Hawkes
Parsonsfield	Melissa S. Dearborn

Superintendents of Departments

Proportionate & Systematic Giving
Elizabeth Clement Gifford
Literature Mary Hainsworth
Junior & Juvenile Work, Clara H. Hawkes
Auditors, Alma Graves
Elizabeth W. Swan
Box Committee Lucy J. Herbert
Florence E. Trueblood

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Trustees, Hannah J. Bailey
Anna M. Gove
Mary G. Winslow.

On nomination of a committee appointed by the Executive Board Sophia Macomber and Sarah Gifford were appointed to receive subscriptions to the Missionary Advocate during Yearly Meeting week.

Arthur Swift of the Jamaica Mission and Edgar Strauchan representing the African Industrial Mission each spoke a few words respecting their respective missions.

Adjourned

Alice W. Mayfield
Clerk for the day.

NEW ENGLAND YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS
INCORPORATED
1893
NEW BEDFORD, MASS.
COLLEGE FRIENDS
CORRESPONDENT

1906.

The fifteenth annual meeting of the W. F. M. S. of the Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England was held at Providence, R. I. Sixth Month 22d, 1906.

The President read selections from Luke and Acts followed by an earnest season of prayer.

The records of the last year's meeting were read and approved.

The following reports were read and accepted:- Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, Trustee of Permanent Fund, Superintendent of Proportionate and Systematic Giving, Supt of Junior & Juvenile Work, Supt of Literature, and Box Committee.

A Letter was read from Mary K. Tilney at Ramallah. Alice H. Jones who goes from Ramallah as English teacher was introduced to the meeting.

A letter was read concerning the Gaza Station work and Jeffrey and Allen Ford who go to Jamaica were introduced.

The report of the Nominating Committee

was read and accepted. Upon vote of the meeting the secretary cast one ballot for the officers named in this report and they were accordingly elected to the various positions for the coming year.

President - Phebe S. Ingalsbee.

Vice Presidents - Myra E. Frye, Alice N. Mayfield

Corresponding Secretary - Frances E. Whalen

Recording Secretary and Corporation Clerk -
Mary S. Paige

Treasurer - Susan H. Meader

Quarterly Meeting Vice Presidents.

Rhode Island - Mary E. Kimber
Salem - Lucy M. Wood
Sandwich - Annie M. Cook
Falmouth - Lettie M. Bailey
Smithfield - Sarah J. Swift
Vassalboro - Annie M. Priest
Dover - Lucy H. Meader
Fairfield - Elizabeth N. Hawkes
Farmington - Melissa S. Dearborn

Superintendents of Departments.

Proportionate and Systematic Giving -
Elizabeth Austin Gifford

Literature - Georgia B. Wood.

Junior and Juvenile Work - Anna L. Kenney

Auditors

Elizabeth W. Swan Alony Chase Grant

Chairman of Box Committee

Lucy T. Herbert

Trustee for three years - Hannah J. Bailey

The Secretary was instructed to prepare a summary of the reports given and present to the yearly Meeting.

Adjourned

Mary E. Paige.
Recording Secretary and
Corporation Clerk.

1907.

The sixteenth annual meeting of the corporation of the W. F. M. S. of the Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England was held at Portland, Maine, Sixth Month 21st 1907.

The President opened the meeting with the reading of the 97th Psalm, which was followed by a season of prayer.

The records of the last year's meeting were read and accepted.

The report of the treasurer was read and accepted.

Voted that two be appointed to pass through the meeting and receive contributions to reduce the deficit noted in this report. The offering thus taken amounted to $10.11.

The reports from the following officers were read and accepted viz:-
Corresponding Secretary, Trustee, Superintendent of Systematic Giving, of Literature and of Junior and Juvenile Work, and the report of the Box Committee.

The Nominating Committee presented a report which was accepted and the Secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for the officers therein named, which being done, they were accordingly elected. The names of Lucy T. Herbert for Box Committee and Anna M. Gove as Trustee for three years being separately presented were acted upon in like manner. *

A letter was read from Ramallah.

Mary E. Mears was appointed a delegate to represent us at Northfield

A letter was read from Ethel Kirk Calvert.

Adjourned.

Mary S. Paige, Recording Secretary and Corporation Clerk.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETING OF FRIENDS RECORDS 1888 1907

* Officers of N. F. M. S. 1907-8

President - Phebe S. Aydelott.

Vice Presidents - Myra E. Frye. Alice H. Mayfield

Corresponding Secretary - Frances E. Wheeler

Recording Secretary and Corporation Clerk - Mary S. Paige

Treasurer - Susan H. Meader

Quarterly Meeting Vice Presidents

Block Island - Mary E. Kimber
Salem - Lucy M. Wood
Sandwich - Ellen S. Goddard
Falmouth - Lettie M. Bailey
Smithfield - Sarah J. Swift
Vassalboro - Annie M. Priest
Dover - Lucy H. Meader
Fairfield - Elizabeth M. Hawkes
Parsonsfield - Melissa S. Dearborn

Superintendents of Departments

Proportionate and Systematic Giving - Elizabeth A. Gifford
Literature - Georgia B. Wood.
Junior and Juvenile Work - Eloise Ada Hafford
Trustee for three years - Anna M. Gove
Home Committee - Lucy T. Herbert
Auditors - Elizabeth H. Swan & Alice R. Jones

1908.

The annual meeting of the corporation of the W. F. M. S. of the Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England. was held at Providence, R. I. Sixth Month 24th, 1908.

The meeting was opened by scripture reading by the president followed by prayer by Frank Wilkins from South America.

Charles E. Tabbette General Secretary of the American Friends Board of Foreign Missions, Frank Wilkins from South America and Rebecca Cadbury of the Philadelphia Friends Foreign Mission Association were present.

The records of the last meeting were read and approved.

Reports given by the Corresponding Secretary Treasurer, Trustee of Permanent Funds, Superintendents of departments, and Box Committee were read and approved.

The Treasurer's report showed a deficit of $10.55. Pledges were made and a collection taken amounting to $26. to reduce this deficit, and Ellen Winslow, Elizabeth B. Gifford, and

Lucy V. Herbert was appointed to solicit the remainder during Yearly Meeting time.

Adjourned to the 25th.

Mary S. Paige, Recording Secretary and Corporation Clerk.

At an adjourned meeting of the Corporation of the W. F. M. S. of the Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England, held at Providence, R. I. Sixth Month 25th, 1908.

The following recommendations for changes in the Constitution & By Laws were received from the Executive Board, viz:-

"Annual Constitution.

By Laws. Section VIII. Any woman may become a member of this society by the annual payment of one dollar to the Treasurer of the Auxiliary Society in her own locality, three fifths to be sent forward to the general Treasurer and reported as membership fees.

Constitution for Local Societies. - Art. 3. Any woman may belong to this Association by paying

one dollar a year.

By Laws. Section 5. All membership fees shall be forwarded by the local treasurer to the general treasurer of the Yearly Meeting and reported as such. All other funds collected by each local society shall be forwarded to the general treasurer, excepting only what is needed to use for current expenses for the auxiliary and for material to be sent to a mission station, but the money thus used must be accurately reported to the Treasurer of the Yearly Meeting Society"

The proposition to change the membership fee was not accepted.

The other proposition in regard to forwarding all membership fees to the General Treasurer and reporting them as such was approved and adopted.

The following list of officers was presented by the nominating committee and they were appointed to the positions indicated for one year.

President - Phebe S. Ryderbo

Vice President - Mayra E. Fry - Alice R. Mansfield

Corresponding Secretary - Frances E. Wade
Recording Secretary and Corporation Clerk - Mary S. Paige
Treasurer - Susan H. Wade.

Quarterly Meeting Vice Presidents

Rhode Island - Mary E. Timber
Salem - Lucy M. Ward
Sandwich - Ellen S. Coddard
Falmouth - Lettie M. Bailey
Smithfield - Sarah J. Swift
Vineyard - Annie M. Priest
Dover - Lucy H. Wade
Fairfield - Elizabeth M. Hawkes
Greenfield - Melissa S. Dearborn.

Superintendents of Departments

Providential and Systematic Giving - Elizabeth C. Gifford
Literature - Georgia B. Ward.
Juniors and Juvenile Work - Lydia T. Jones
Auditors - Alice R. Jones, Elizabeth T. Swan.

Trustees of Permanent Fund.

For one year - Hannah P. Bailey
For two years - Anna M. Ford
For three years - Mary S. Winslow

For Committee - Lucy T. Herbert.

Letters were read from India and Jamaica

Notice was given of the Northfield Summer School of Methods for Women's Societies.

Adjourned.

Mary S. Paige, Recording Secretary pro tem

Corporation Clerk.

1909.

The annual meeting of the corporation of the N. E. M.S. of the Yearly Meeting of Friends in New England was held at Portland, Maine, Sixth Month 23d 1909

The meeting was opened by scripture reading followed by an earnest season of general vocal prayer.

The records of the last annual meeting and adjourned meeting were read and approved.

Reports from the following officers were read and accepted, viz:- Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, Trustees of Permanent Fund, Committee of Proportionate & Systematic Giving, Literature, and Junior and Juvenile Work.

The report of the Nominating Committee was read and accepted. Upon vote of the meeting the Secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for the officers named, which being done, they were accordingly appointed to the offices indicated for one year.

Notice was given that Dr. Merrill of Central Turkey College at Aintab had been

Received to speak at the public meeting Sixth Day evening.

Adjourned.

Mary S. Briggs, Recording Secretary and Inspection Clerk.

1910.

The annual meeting of the Corporation of the W. F. M. S. of the Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England was held at Providence, R. I. Sixth Month 22d 1910.

In the absence of the president Alice W. Mansfield presided.

The meeting was opened by repeating the 23d Psalm, followed by a season of prayer.

As the secretary was absent, Laura B. Eyderle was appointed to serve for the day.

The records of the last annual meeting were read and approved.

Reports from the following officers were read and accepted, viz:- Treasurer, Trustee of Permanent Fund, Corresponding Secretary Boy Committee and Superintendent of Literature. There were no reports from the Superintendents of Proportionate and Systematic Giving, and Juvenile and Juvenile Work.

Edith T. Battey was directed to purchase necessary supplies for the Mission at Ramallah and to call upon the Treasurer for

the payment of the same.

The Corresponding Secretary read an interesting letter from Mary White of Jamaica, describing the work there and J. Shelton Horsbrugh gave a vivid account of his recent visit to the same place.

The meeting directed that a letter of sympathy be sent to Sarah J. Swift and a letter of greeting to the President.

The report of the Nominating Committee was read and accepted. Upon vote of the meeting the Secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for the officers named, which being done they were accordingly appointed to the offices indicated for one year.

Notice was given that Dr. Smith Burke of Lowell had been secured to speak at the public meeting Sixth Day evening.

Adjourned.

Laura B. Aydelott
Secretary pro tem

1911.

The annual meeting of the Corporation of the N. E. M. S. of the Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England was held at Providence R. I. Sixth Month 21st 1911

The meeting was opened by reading the 23d Psalm followed by a season of prayer.

The records of the last meeting were read and approved. Reports were read by the Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer & Trustee of Trustee property audited, the Superintendent of Junior and Juvenile Work, Superintendent of Proportionate and Systematic Giving, Superintendent of Literature and Box Committee, which were all accepted

Reports of the Conference at Withington were given by Alice H. Jones and Mary S. Paige.

The matter of a change in membership dues was referred to the Executive Committee

The Corresponding Secretary read a report of work done by Timothy and Eva

Baipath. Jefferson and Helen Fern Ford spoke further of the Indian work in the island of Jamaica

Emilda Tebbetts as Superintendent of Literature for the Woman's Missionary Union called attention to literature on exhibit in Alumni Hall

The Nominating Committee presented the following names of Friends to serve as officers for the coming year. The Secretary was instructed to cast the ballot of the Society for the officers named, which being done they were accordingly elected to their respective positions for one year.

President – Mary E. Grant

Vice Presidents – Clara W. Merrifield, Alice M. Mansfield

Cor. Secretary – Frances E. Meade

Recording Secretary – Mary S. Paige

Treasurer – Susan H. Meade

Quarterly Meeting Vice Presidents

Rhode Island – Nancy E. Kimball

Salem – Lucy Melissa Hook

Sandwich - Ellen L. Dodd
Falmouth - Lettie M. Bailey
Smithfield - Sarah J. Swift
Wareham - Ida Jones
Fairfield - Elizabeth M. Hawks
Bremsfield - Phebe L. Pope
Dover - Lucy H. Meade.

Superintendents of Departments

Proportionate & Systematic Giving - Mary W. Macomber
Literature - Mabel S. Bailey
Juvenile & Juvenile Work - Celina R. Williams
Auditors - Alice R. Jones, & Blanche W. Hartwell
Trustees of Permanent Fund -
For three years - Mary G. Windsor
For two years - Edward M. Lane
For one year - Hannah J. Bailey

Work Committee

Lucy W. Robbins Jennie M. Lawrence

Charles E. Talbott spoke of the need of training the minds of the future for the great work & responsibilities of the future.

Voted to send a letter of greeting to Olive S. Spalding

1912.

The second meeting of the organization of the Romance Friends Missionary Society of the Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England was held at Kennebunk, Me. Sixth Month 26th 1912 at 2 P.M.

The meeting was opened by reading from the 8th chapter of Peter, followed by prayer by the president.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, Treasurer of Trust, Auditor & Editor, Staff of Optimist & Sylvanus Lang, Supt. of Sunshine Mission, were all received & accepted.

Very interesting letters were read from Alice M. Crane & Mr. Rosenberger.

The Nominating Committee presented the following list of officers. Their report was received & the officers named elected.

President - Mary A. Crosman

Vice Presidents - Clara W. Mumford
Alice W. Mayfield
Corresponding Secretary - Frances E. Whedon
Recording Secretary & Corporation Clerk - Mary S. Paige
Treasurer - Susan H. Meader

Twenty Mutiny Vice Presidents

Rhode Island Edith Bartlett
Salem - Lucy M. Wood
Sandwich - Annie E. Eaton.
Falmouth - Lettie M. Bailey
Smithfield - Sarah J. Swift
Vassalboro - Ida Jones
Dover - Lucy H. Meader.
Fairfield - Elizabeth M. Hunter
Farmington - Phebe L. Pope

Superintendents of Departments

Proportionate and Systematic Giving
Josephine H. Carr.
Literature - Mabel S. Bailey
Junior & Juvenile Work - Mary H. Binford

Box Committee

Lucy T. Herbert Adelaide A. Younger

Trustee of Permanent Fund.

For one year - Emma M. Love

For two years - Mary G. Winslow

For three years - Hannah J. Bailey

Auditors

Alice R. Jones Blanche R. Hovland.

Letters were read from Seda Stanley and H. Alma Swift

Jennie Joyce spoke of the work in Cuba and the need of workers going out from New England as well as the generous giving.

Adjourned,

Mary S. Paige, Sec.

1913.

The annual meeting of the corporation of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Society Meeting of Friends for New England was held in Providence, R. I. Sixth Month 25th 1913.

About one hundred present.

The President opened the meeting by reading from I Timothy. After a period of earnest devotion in which several received prayers were offered.

The treasurer's report of the year of unusual work and of the greatness of the problems before us. We must keep our eyes from others and give the best we have. We need courage to look at things as they are and then go ahead. There is great need of earnest, persistent prayer.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Reports were read from the Treasurer, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer of Trustees, Superintendent of Literature, Superintendent of Foreign Missionaries, Superintendent of Entertainment and Superintendent Living and from the Boro Cor.

Matter, all of which was accepted.

A letter was read from Alice R. Jones.

Mamie Sherman spoke on the work in Jamaica and was seconded by Elizabeth P. Dana.

The following list of officers was presented by the Nominating Committee and the Secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for the officers thus named, which being done they were elected to serve.

President - Mary A. Brownson

Vice Presidents - Clara N. Humphrey, Lucia H. Mansfield

Corresponding Secretary - Frances E. Hunter

Recording Secretary - Margaret Bigelow

Treasurer - Susan H. Marks

Secretary Working Vice Presidents

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[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Trustees —

Permanent —

[illegible]

[illegible]

Literature —

[illegible]

[illegible]

Trustees of Permanent Funds [illegible]

1914.

The annual meeting of the Corporation of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of the Church of Christ in Christ for New England was held at Lucaville, Ohio, Sixth Month 24th, 1914.

In opening the meeting the President read a Psalm, which was followed by prayer.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and with approval.

Reports were read and accepted as follows:

Report of Corresponding Secretary

" " Treasurer and Treasurer of Trustees,

Both properly audited

Report of Superintendent of Literature

" " Dept of Home and Foreign Work

" " Dept of Sabbath Instruction and Evangelism

" " Bible Committee

The report of the Nominating Committee was read and was accepted and the officers therein named elected for one year upon the ballot of the Secretary and as the Directors of the Society

President — Mary R. Crouman

Vice President — Helen M. Mumford Alice M. Mumford

Corresponding Secretary - Frances E. Wheeler
Recording Secretary - Mary A. Page
Treasurer - Simeon A. Meader
Secretary Meeting for Business
Eliot - Lizzie L. Bailey
Kittery - Lucy M. Hurd
Greenleaf - Sophia Wentworth
Pleasant - Minnie Dow
Smithfield - [illegible]
Farmington - Ann E. Dow
Dover - Lucy A. Meader
Portsmouth - Mary E. Smith
Somersworth - [illegible]
Superintendent of Department
Proportional Contributions Among - [illegible]
Literature - Mabel E. Hobby
Summer Missionary Work - [illegible]
Auditors - [illegible], Elizabeth M. [illegible]
Trustee - Government Board for Superior
Mary E. Wheeler.

Letters were read from [illegible]

[illegible] from Mary Mott in Honolulu with the [illegible] of our monthly sent down by Tom Williams.

Emma C. Randolph, our delegate to the Triennial Conference gave an interesting report of that gathering.

Adjourned

Mary A. Pease, Recording Sec.
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1918.

The annual meeting of the corporation of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society was held at Providence, R. I. Sixty Second 20th, 1918.

The President read the 90th psalm as the opening of the meeting, which was followed by a season of prayer.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The report of the Treasurer for audit, was read and accepted.

The Corresponding secretary presented the usual which was accepted. In connection with her report she read a letter in regard to the work of Evan Williams in Jamaica.

Reports of the Dept's of Literature and of the Superintendent of Junior and Mission Bands were read and accepted.

A motion was called for to receive such subscriptions for the Missionary Herald during Monthly Meeting. Mrs. Wayne Davis offered to undertake that service.

The report of the Nominating Committee

were read and accepted, and the Trustees were named were elected upon the ballot of the Secretary.

President - Henry [illegible]

Vice Presidents - [illegible] H. [illegible]

[illegible] N. [illegible]

Corresponding Secretary - Frances E. [illegible]

Recording Secretary & Corporation Clerk - [illegible]

Treasurer - [illegible] N. [illegible]

Assistant Recording Vice President -

[illegible] - [illegible] P. [illegible]

[illegible] - Lucy M. [illegible]

[illegible] - Sophia [illegible]

[illegible] - [illegible]

Smithfield - [illegible] J. Swift

[illegible] - Ida [illegible]

[illegible] - Lucy H. [illegible]

Fairfield - [illegible] E. [illegible]

[illegible] - [illegible] E. [illegible]

Superintendents of Departments -

Preparatory & Systematic Giving - [illegible] E. Phillips

[illegible] Work - [illegible]

Literature - [illegible] H. Bailey

Secretary - Alice R. Jones - Elizabeth W. Lorne.
Treasurer for the year - Hannah S. Bailey.
Box Committee - Lucy P. Herbert, Ella [illegible]

Voted to leave with the Executive Committee the matter of amending the By Laws to provide for Members at large, with power to frame and a section in the By Laws were framed at a later meeting.

Marion E. Kelley spoke very interestingly of the work at Cincinnati and was followed by Hester Aucoi a Day School Teacher and a graduate of the Girls School, now studying in this country.

Emma J. Randolph, as Treasurer of the Missionary Union spoke of the home side of missionary work.

Adjourned to meet [illegible] 24th

Mary E. Briggs [illegible]

At the adjourned session of the annual meeting of the Corporation of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held at Pittsburgh, Pa. Sixth Month 24th, 1915

The Executive Committee proposed the following amendment to the by-laws, the same to become section 3 of Article VIII

"Whereas it is not possible I would in the Philippines, they cannot become Life Members the annual membership fee to be paid direct and then become a member at large.

Voted that this amendment be accepted.

Respectfully

Mary E. Pierce, Cor. Sec.
Corporation Clerk.

1916.

The annual meeting of the corporation of the W. F. M. S. was held at Yarmouth, Me. Oct. nov. 28, 1916. The meeting was opened with a period of devotion. The records of the last meeting were read and approved. The report of the treasurer, properly audited, was accepted. The report of the Corresponding Secretary was supplemented by a letter from Jamaica telling of the work of Jean Williams and Alice Brijnatti. The reports of the Supts. of Literature, Proportionate and Systematic Giving, and Trustee of Permanent Fund were accepted. A letter from Charlotte Vickers was read in relation to the Advocate. All who do not now subscribe are urged to do so at this time through Mabel G. Bailey, Supt. of Literature. A letter was read from Esther Pinn expressing appreciation

of no help in the Indian work.
The Exec. Com. proposed the following amendment to the By Laws:-
XII The Missionary Year shall begin the first day of First Month and end the thirty-first of Twelfth Month when all accounts shall close.
Voted that a copy of the proposition be sent to each auxiliary with some explanation of the advantages of the change, asking them each to vote on the subject. The report of the Nominating Com. was read and accepted and the officers elected on the ballot of the secretary.
Pres. Mary A. Cornman Vice-Pres. Clara Hr. Vernon, Rec. Sec. Hopfield. Cor. Sec. Frances C. Wheeler, Rec. Secy & Corporation Clerk, Mary P. Paige, Treas. Susan H. Meader, Quarterly Meeting Vice-Pres.
R. I. Edith P. Betts, Salem, Lucy M. Hood, Sandwich, Sophia Macomber, Falmouth,

Lettie M. Bailey, Smithfield, Grace M. Phillips, Vassalboro, Ida Innes Fowler, Lucy H. Meader, Fairfield, Mary L. Smith, Parersfield, Chloe L. Pope, Supts. of Departments: Proportionate and Systematic Giving, Grace L. Phillips, Literature, Mabel F. Bailey, Junior and Juvenile Work, Louise Metcalf. Auditors Alice R. Innes, Elizabeth H. Swan. Trustees of Permanent Fund, For one year, Mary G. Trinclair, 2 years, Hannah L. Bailey, 3 years, Annie E. Mayfield. Box Committee, Lucy T. Herbert, E. Ella Clark. Julia Whitt spoke interestingly.

Meeting adjourned.

Mary F. Rice

Rec. Secretary

and Corporation Clerk.

1917.

At the annual meeting of the corporation of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held at Providence R.I. Sixth mo. 27th. 1917. The meeting was opened by repeating the 23rd. Ps. in concert after which prayer was offered by Emma T. Randolph. The records of the last meeting not being at hand their reading was omitted. The treasurer gave her annual report, properly audited. This was followed by the reports from the Dept. of Literature, that of the Trustees of the Permanent Fund, and of the corresponding Sec. These reports were accepted. Voted to send Alice Gifford to Rottfield as our missionary representative. A collection was taken to meet expenses which amounted to $9.25. Voted to take the balance needed from the treasury. The subject of delegates to the Triennial Conference to be held in Indianapolis

was talked over and it was voted to leave the appointment of delegates with the Executive Com. The nominating com. presented its report and at the direction of the Society the Secy. cast the ballot of the Society for the officers therein named and they were accordingly elected.

President, Mary A. Crosman.

Vice-presidents, Clara H. Mumford, Alice H. Mayfield.

Cor. Secretary, Frances E. Schueler

Rec. Secy. and Corporation Clerk, Laura B. Sydebotti

Treasurer, Susan H. Meader

Quarterly Meeting Vice-presidents

Rhode Island, Edith Battey

Salem, Lucy M. Ford

Sandwich, Phebia Hammer

Falmouth, Lettie M. Bailey

Smithfield, Grace L. Phillips

Marcellus, Ida Jones

Dover, Lucy H. Meader

Fairfield, Mary L. Truitte
Greenfield, Ella L. Poke
Superintendents of Departments
Proportionate and Sys. Giving - Grace L. Phillips
Literature, Lucy T. Herbert
Junior and Juvenile work, Rachel Metcrom
Northfield Camp Leader, Eleanor A. Gifford
Auditors
Alice R. Innis, Elizabeth H. Swain
Trustee of Permanent Fund
For three years Mary F. Paige
Boys Committee
Lucy T. Herbert, A. Ella Clark
Marion Sibley spoke in regard to conditions at Rawalpindi, suggesting that the auxiliaries make provision for the girls there, and asking for the sympathy and prayers for the suffering people. Alice Gifford, missionary from Japan, spoke interestingly of the work there. Meeting adjourned

Laura B. Lyndeldt
Rec. Sec. and Corresponding Clerk

1918.

At the annual meeting of the Corporation of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held at Vassalboro, Me. 6-26-1918. The meeting was opened by reading the 19th Ps. after which prayer was offered by Annie Ray. The records of the annual meeting of 1916 and the last annual meeting were read and approved. The report of the treasurer, properly audited, was accepted. The report of the Cor. Sec. was read. Report of the Junior Work was given by the Supt. Rachel Mortson. Eleanor Gifford, Winthrop Field Camp leader, spoke of last year's conference. Voted that amendment to constitution and by-laws including changing name of the corporation be referred to the Executive Board, and that the Executive Board report to an adjourned annual

meeting during this yearly meeting. Change of dues to $1.25 was discussed and action deferred to adjourned annual meeting. Voted to change constitution to read "The missionary year shall begin the first day of first month and end the 31st. day of 12th. mo. when all accounts shall close." Nominating com. presented its report. The report was referred back to the com. for necessary changes with direction to report at the adjourned annual meeting. Elda Henderson spoke on work in Jamaica. Meeting adjourned.

Laura B. Cydebotto
Rec. Sec. & Cor. Clerk

An adjourned annual meeting of the corporation of the Hicksite Foreign Missionary Society was held

at Vassalboro, Me. 6-27-18. The question of disbanding the corporation and substituting a missionary com. of men and women in each local or monthly meeting was discussed, but no action was taken. Meeting adjourned. Laura B. Cydelott
Rec. Secy. + Cor. Clerk.

An adjourned annual meeting of the W. F. M. S. was held at Vassalboro, Me. 6-29-1918. The following recommendation was read from the Executive Board. "At a meeting of the Executive Board of the W. F. M. S. held 6-26-18 it was decided to recommend that the name of the corporation be changed to the Woman's Missionary Society. The Executive Board is not prepared to recommend other changes

in the constitution and by-laws at this time." Voted to lay the recommendation upon the table. Voted to ~~recommend~~ reconsider the motion to change the financial year. Voted that the action to change the financial year be rescinded. The nominating com. presented its report and at the direction of the Society the rec. secretary cast the ballot of the Society for the officers therein named and they were accordingly elected.

President - Mary A. Crossman
Vice-presidents - Clara H. Merryfield
Alice H. Mayfield
Corresponding Secy. Frances E. Schuler
Recording Secy. and Corporation Clerk.
Laura B. Eydelott
Treasurer Susan H. Meader

Quarterly Meeting Vice-presidents.

Rhode Island -	Edith Battey
Salem	Mary I. Townsend
Sandwich	Sophia Macomber
Falmouth	Lettie M. Bailey
Smithfield	Alice L. Dorr
Vassalboro	Ida Jones
Dover	Lucy H. Meader
Fairfield	Mary L. Smith
Farmington	Phebe L. Pope

Superintendents of Departments

Temperance and Systematic Giving
Grace L. Phillips

Literature Lucy T. Herbert

Junior and Juvenile Work - Esther Mortimer

Representative to the Northfield Conference
Lucy T. Herbert

Northfield Camp Leader - Eleanor M. Gifford

Auditors

Alice R. Jones, Elizabeth W. Swan

Trustees of Permanent Fund

For one year - Emily S. White

For two years - Mary P. Paige
For three years - Hannah J. Bailey
Meeting adjourned,
Laura B. Hydelott
Rec. Secy. and Cor. Clerk.

1919

At the annual meeting of the Corporation of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held at Providence, 6th. mo. 25. 1919. In the absence of the president, Clara W. Mumford, vice-president, presided. The meeting was opened by reading the 95th. Ps. followed by prayer. The records of the last meeting were read and accepted. The ~~records~~ report of the treasurer, properly audited, was read and accepted. Reports were read from the Cor. Sec. Supts. of Spiritual Giving, Literature, Junior and Juvenile work, also a verbal report from the Northfield Campleader. These reports were accepted. The nominating com. presented its report which was accepted. It was voted that the recording sec. cast the ballot

of the Society for the officers therein named, and they were accordingly elected.

President, Clara H. Mumford
Vice-presidents - Margaret Timberlake
Alice H. Mayfield
Corresponding Secy. Frances E. Wheeler
Rec. Secy. + Cor. Clerk - Laura R. Leydelott
Treasurer Lucy M. Hood

Quarterly Meeting Vice-presidents

Rhode Island	Edith Battey
Salem	Susan H. Meader
Sandwich	Lucy J. Gifford
Falmouth	Laura A. Ellison
Smithfield	Alice L. Dorr
Vassalboro	Ida Jones
Dover	Lucy H. Meader
Fairfield	Mary L. Smith
Farmington	Phebe L. Pope

Superintendents of Departments

Scriptural Living	Clara Hawkes
Literature	Lucy T. Herbert

Junior and Juvenile Work - Rachel Metcalf
Representative to Northfield Conference
Frances E. Wheeler
Northfield Camp Leader - Eleanor M. Gifford
Auditor
Alice R. Jones, Elizabeth H. Swan
Trustees of Permanent Funds
For one year Mary F. Paige
For two years Hannah J. Bailey
For three years Emily F. White
B. Willis Beede, representing the Foreign Mission Board of the Five Place Meeting spoke on organization. Voted that the membership dues be changed to $1.25 a year, that where $1.25 is not paid by each member the auxiliary send to the treasurer an amount equivalent to $1.25 for each member, designating the same as membership dues. It was voted that the secretary send

a letter of love and appreciation from the Society to its retiring President, Mary A. Crossman. A rising vote of thanks was given the Retiring Treasurer Susan H. Meader, for her faithful and efficient services for twenty-five years.

Meeting adjourned.

Laura B. Crydelatt
Rec. Sec. and Cor. Clerk.

An adjourned annual meeting of the Corporation of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held at Providence, 6th. Nov. 27th. 1919. Records of the last annual meeting were read and accepted. The following recommendation of the Executive Board was read and adopted: "At a meeting of the Executive Board of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held at

Providence 6th. mo. 27th., 1919, it was voted to recommend to the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society that the Quarterly Meeting Vice presidents be discontinued, and that the constitution be altered as follows - Article III to omit the words, "a Vice-president for each Quarterly Meeting; and article VI of the By-Laws to be omitted entirely; the numbers of succeeding articles to be changed to correspond.

Laura B. Lydelott,
Rec. Secretary."

It was voted that the Quarterly Meeting Missionary Superintendents of the Foreign Mission Board be invited to be ex-officio members of the Executive Board. The treasurer was authorized to request the Bible Schools to take a missionary collection.

Meeting adjourned, Laura B. Lydelott
Rec. Secy. & Cor. Clerk.

Mildred White	600	600
[illegible]	300	300
Women and girls [illegible]	50	[illegible]
[illegible]	150	150
[illegible]	50	50
[illegible]	60	60
[illegible]	70	70
[illegible]	50	
[illegible]		50
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1920

At the annual meeting of the corporation of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held at Vassalboro, Me. Oct. 23rd. 1920. The devotional period was led by Alma Swift who read the first chapter of Acts and offered prayer. The records of the last meeting were read and approved. The report of the Cor. Sec. was approved. A letter was read from Mabel Bailey from Ramallah describing the work there. The report of the treasurer was read and accepted. The reports of the Supts. of Scriptural Giving, Literature, and Junior and Juvenile Work were approved. It was voted that the disposition of the Home Mission Funds be ~~f~~ left to the Executive Board. It was also voted that a part of the Development Fund be used for supts. of departments,

the rest for Northfield expense.
Alma Swift spoke on the work of the catechist in Jamaica.
The nominating com. presented its report which was accepted.
It was voted that the recording secretary cast the ballot of the Society for the officers therein named, and they were accordingly elected.
President, Clara W. Mumford
Vice-presidents - Margaret I. Trimblebee,
Alice W. Mayfield
Corresponding Secretary, Frances E. Wheeler
Recording Secretary and Corporation Clerk,
Laura B. Cuddeback.
Treasurer, Lucy M. Ford.
Superintendents of Departments
Spiritual Living - Clara Hawkes
Literature - Lucy T. Herbert
Junior and Juvenile Work. Rachel Mastin
Northfield Camp Leader - Eleanor M. Gifford
Representative on Northfield Com.

Lucy T. Herbert

Auditors

Alice R. Jones, Elizabeth H. Swan

Trustee of Permanent Fund

For one year - Hannah J. Bailey

For two years - Emily P. White

For three years - Mary P. Paige.

Box Committee

Mary I. Townsend, Ethel F. Dexter

Meeting adjourned.

Laura B. Bydelott

Recording Secretary and Corporation Clerk

1921.

At the Annual meeting of the Corporation of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held at Providence, R.I. 6th. mo. 22 - 1921. The devotional period consisted of reading the 103 Ps. and prayer. The records of the last meeting were read and approved, also the report of the corresponding Secretary. The treasurer's report was read and accepted. The reports of the Supts. of Scriptural Giving, Literature, Junior and Juvenile Work, and the Northfield Camp Leader were accepted. The nominating com presented its report which was accepted. It was voted that the recording secretary cast the ballot of the Society for the officers therein named,

and they were accordingly elected.

President, Clara H. Munford
Vice-Presidents, Alice H. Mabfield
Margaret I. Timberlake
Corresponding Secretary, Frances E. Wheeler
Treasurer, Lucy M. Ford.
Recording Secretary and Corporation Clerk - Laura B. Cydebotto
Superintendents of Depts.
Peripatural Living, Clara Hawkes
Literature, Lucy T. Herbert
Junior and Juvenile Work - Mildred Wader
Northfield Camp Leader - Dorothy H. Gifford
Representative on Northfield Committee - Lucy T. Herbert
Auditors
Alice R. Jones, Elizabeth H. Swan

Trustee of Permanent Fund
For one year - Hannah J. Bailey
For two years - Emily P. Wheilet
For three years - Mary P. Paige

Box Committee

Mary P. Townsend, Mary A. Gove

An interesting letter from Ramallah was read by the Cor. Secretary.

Interesting remarks were made by B. Willis Reede, Educational Secy. of the American Friends Board of Foreign Missions, Alice Gifford from Japan, Amelia Lindley, a worker among the Shawnee Indians, and Mabel G. Bailey of Ramallah. A rising vote of thanks was given these speakers.

Meeting adjourned,

Laura B. Eydelotte
Recording Secretary and Corporation Clerk.

1922.

At the annual meeting of the Corporation of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held at Vassalboro, Maine, June 28-1922. After the opening devotional period the records of the last meeting were read and approved, also reports of Cor. Secretary, Treasurer, superintendents of departments and Northfield Camp Leader. The nominating com. presented its report which was accepted. It was voted that the Rec. Secy. cast the ballot for the officers therein named which she did and they were elected.

President - Mabel Goodine Bailey
1st vice-pres. Margaret I. Twitchell
2nd. vice-pres. Clara Hawkes
Cor. Secy. Frances E. Wheeler

Recording Secretary and Corporation Clerk - Laura B. Cudelott
Treasurer - Lucy M. Ford
Superintendents of Departments
Spiritual Giving - Florence M. Jones
Literature - Lucy T. Herbert
Junior and Juvenile work - Louise Starrett
Northfield Camp Leader - Margaret J. Trinderlake.
Representative on Northfield Com.
Lucy T. Herbert.
Auditors - Alice R. Jones - Mary A. Gore
Trustee of Permanent Fund
For one year - Emily S. White
For two years - Mary S. Paige
Box Committee - Mary J. Townsend
Louisa Prescott.

Adjourned,
Lucy T. Herbert
Secy. pro tem.

1923.

At the annual meeting of the Corporation of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society, held at Providence, R. I. 6th. mo. 27-28 The devotional period consisted of a period of silence and prayer. The records of the last annual meeting were read and approved. The report of the Cor. Sec. was accepted. Interesting letters were read from Edna Haviland and Alice Jones. The report of the Treasurer, properly audited, was read and accepted. Reports of the following departments superintendents were read and accepted: Scriptural Giving, Literature, Junior and Juvenile Work and Northfield Camp Leader. The nominating committee presented the re-

port which was accepted. It was voted that the recording secretary cast the ballot of the Society for the officers therein named, and they were accordingly elected.

President - Mabel Eugene Bailey
1st vice - Pres. Clara Flanders
2nd " Pres. Emma M. Colby
Cor. Secretary - Frances E. Hulett
Rec. Secy. + Corporation Clerk - Laura B. Bydelotte
Treasurer - Lucy M. Hood
Superintendents of Departments
Spiritual Giving - Florence H. Jones
Literature - Lucy T. Hulett
Junior and Juvenile Work —
Northfield Camp Leader - Dorothy Gifford
Representative on Northfield Com
Lucy T. Hulett
Auditors, Alice R. Jones - Mary A. Fox

Trustees of Permanent Fund
For one year - Mary S. Paige
For two years - Emily S. White -
Boy Conn. Louisa Prescott, Mary J.
Townsend.

It was voted that the subject of transferring the investments of permanent trust funds to the Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds of the Yearly Meeting be referred to the Executive Board with power to act. Short addresses were given by Mary Hiare Hadley, Alice Paige White, Margaret Tindsdale Cornelius and Rachel Mellen. Respectfully,

Laura B. Updegraff
Recording Secretary
and Corresponding
Secy.

1924.

At the annual meeting of the Corporation of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society held at Pascalboro, Maine, 6th. mo. 25, 1924. The meeting opened with a period of silence followed by prayer, after which the minutes of the last meeting were read, also reports from the Cor. Secy. and from superintendents of departments; Peripatetic Giving, Literature, and Junior and Juvenile Work. The minutes were approved and the reports accepted. It was voted that the Treasurer's Report, when audited be accepted. The Nominating Committee reported as follows: President - Mabel Gorgine Bailey
1st. vice-President - Clara Hawkes
2nd. vice-President - Emma M. Albury
Cor. Secretary - Frances E. Hewes

Rec. Secretary + Corporation Clerk — Laura B. Lydebott
Treasurer - Lucy M. Hood
Superintendents of Departments
Spiritual Giving - Maria H. Dole
Literature - Florence M. Jones
Junior + Juvenile Work - Alice C. Gifford
Northfield Camp Leader, Katherine Haviland
Rep. on Northfield Com. Alice C. Gifford
Auditors
Alice R. Jones, Mary A. Gove
Trustees of Permanent Fund
For one year, Mary S. Paige
" two year - Emily S. Hewlett
Box Committee
Louisa Prescott, Mary T. Townsend
The Rec. Secretary was directed to cast the ballot of the Society which was done, and those named for officers were duly elected.

The matter of turning over the Permanent Funds to the Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds was brought up for consideration, and finding favor, it was voted to make the change. The Cor. Secretary was requested to send a note to Lucy T. Hubert expressing the Society's grateful appreciation of her services; also a note of sympathy to Lucy M. Ford in regard to the passing of her mother, Susan H. Alcaden.

Annie E. Rose
Secretary pro tem.

1925-

At the annual meeting of the Corporation of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held at Providence R. I. 6th Mo. 24 1925.

The meeting opened with a period of silence, followed by prayer. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The report of the Corresponding Secretary was accepted, together with the reports of the Superintendent of Literature and Superintendent of Scriptural Giving. There were no reports from the Superintendent of Junior and Juvenile Work, nor the Northfield Camp Leader. The annual report of the treasurer, properly audited, was read and accepted. A very interesting letter was read from Margaret E. Simpkin in China. It was voted that the Corresponding Secretary send a letter of loving sympathy on behalf of the Society to A. Edward and Marion Kelsey on account of the serious illness of their daughter Edith.

The following nominating committee was appointed to prepare a list of officers for the

annual meeting in 1926: Lucy T. Herbert, Emily S. White, Lettie M. Bailey.

The nominating committee under appointment reported as follows:—

President.— Mabel Loogins Bailey.
1st Vice-President. Clara Hawkes.
2nd Vice-President. Emma M. Alvey
Corresponding Secretary - Frances E. Wheeler.
Recording Sec'y and Corporation Clerk
Edith T. Battey
Treasurer. Lucy M. Wood.
Superintendents of Departments:—
Scriptural Giving. Annie Ewer Rose.
Literature. Marion S. Cartland.
Junior and Juvenile Work. Alice E. Gifford.
Northfield Camp Leader. Katherine Haviland.
Representative on Northfield Com.
Alice E. Gifford.
Auditors. Mary A. Gove, Gertrude Smith.
Box Committee. Louisa Prescott, Mary S. Townsend.

The Recording Secretary was directed to

cast the ballot of the Society, which was done, and those named for office were duly appointed for the year.

Mary E. Paige gave a brief report of the Triennial Conference held this spring at Guilford N. C., B. Willis Beale, General Secretary of the American Friends Board of Foreign Missions, spoke along general missionary lines, and Alice M. Dyer, of Randolph, gave a most interesting and helpful talk.

The meeting closed with prayer by Charles Abbott.

Laura B. Aydelott
Recording Secretary and Corporation Clerk.

1926.

At the annual meeting of the corporation of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held at Hinckley, Leader Maine Oct. No. 23 1926:- The meeting was opened with a period of silence followed by reading of appropriate selections from Alice Jones' "note book".

The Minutes of the last meeting were read and accepted. The report of the corresponding secretary included a summary of the reports from the auxiliaries and letters from Alice W. Jones and Ellen A. Winslow at Kamakah. The study book recommended for the year, Moslem Women, was introduced with other items of mission work and interest.

The Treasurers report was given showing a balance on hand of $190.18.

Other reports submitted were from the Superintendents of literature, Christian Giving and Junior and Juvenile Work. All were satisfactory and were approved.

The recording secretary was asked to send a

note to our treasurer - Lucy M. Wood, expressing the appreciation of the Society of the efficient and and devoted service she has given for so many years, from the duties of which she feels it necessary to resign.

The Northfield conference was considered and the hope expressed that Camp Friendly might still be maintained, with a creditable number of campers and that more of our girls might have the influence and inspiration of such a gathering.

The Nominating Committee presented their report as follows:-

Officers for the year 1920 and 1921 -

President - Ellen A. Winslow.

Vice Pres. 1st Mabel Goodwin Bailey.

2nd Emma M. Alum

Corresponding Sec - Frances E. Wheeler.

Recording Sec. and Correspondent, Edith T. Bailey.

Treasurer - Gertrude F. Smith

Auditors - Mary A. Gray, Laura C. Lydell.

Exec Committee - Louise Prescott, Mary A. Tourneau.

Superintendent of Departments:-

Scriptural Giving, L. Maria Dole
Literature, Marion P. Cartland.
Junior and Juvenile Work, Alice E. Gifford.
Northfield Camp, Leader, Catherine Hartland.
Representative on the Northfield Committee -
Alice E. Gifford.
The report was satisfactory and the secretary was instructed to cast the ballot for the officers as named, and they are duly appointed for one year.
B. Willis Dodge, General Sec. of the American Friends Board of Foreign Missions, spoke to us on general lines of the work, especially commending the idea of sending a representative to Ramallah each year.
Mrs. Chance told of a recent visit to the Holy Land, and Furnass Freeblood gave a short account of his experiences in Smyrna.
Luther Warren of Friendsville Academy told of conditions among the mountain people of Eastern Tenn. The meeting closed with prayer.

Estelle L. Battey.
Recording Sec. and Corporation Clerk.

1927.

At the annual meeting of the corporation of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society held at Providence R.I. "6th Mo. 27" - 1927.

The meeting was opened with a period of devotion conducted by the President.

The records of the last meeting were read and approved. The Corresponding Secretary reported one new society and fourteen new members, and emphasized the activities of some of the auxiliaries. An interesting letter from Margaret T. Simpins - China - was read and one from Minnie G. Bowles of Japan. The Study Book for the coming year - A Straight Way Toward Tomorrow, was introduced.

The Treasurer's report, duly audited, was presented showing a balance of $399.26 at the end of the year. The reports from Departments were from Supts of Literature, Scripture Giving and Junior and Juvenile Work; all were satisfactory and were adopted. Ellen C. Winslow told of the changes in the staff of workers at Ramallah soon to take place, the Koreys returning to America and Kahlil

and Emma Potah becoming Superintendent of the Boys School. A letter from Alice M. Jones gave interesting accounts of the school work and life at the Mission.

A recommendation from the Executive Board that the name of the Society be changed to "The Woman's Missionary Society of the Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England" was read and the following motion was presented and adopted:- That the name of this corporation be changed to read, The Woman's Missionary Society of the Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England, and that the proper officers of the corporation be, and they hereby are authorized to execute and file such papers as may be necessary under the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts to make this vote effective.

Another recommendation was that the corresponding secretary be advised to incorporate in her annual letter a suggestion to the Quarterly Meetings minuting Sept. that they endeavor to release members at large where it is not convenient to organize

Superintendent.

The Nominating Committee presented names for officers for the year ensuing:

President - Ellen A. Winslow. First vice President Marion E. Kelsey. 2nd vice Pres. - Edith Henderson; Corresponding Sec. - Frances E. Hueber.

Rec. Sec. - Cor. Secretary Miss. Edith T. Batty.

Treasurer - Gertrude F. Smith.

Auditors - Mary A. Cope, Laura B. Spaulding.

Pianist - Louisa Pierce.

Superintendents of Departments:

Scriptural Giving - E. Marie Dole.

Literature - Miriam C. Curtland.

Junior & Juvenile Work - Jennie A. Barrett.

Northfield Camp Leader - E. Maude Miller.

Representative on Northfield Conv. - Alice E. Gifford.

Nominating Committee - Alice A. Long, Jennie W. Gifford, Clara A. Fowler. The report was accepted and the recording secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for the officers as named.

The newly appointed leader of Camp Friendly spoke in the interests of the Northfield Camp. Mrs. L. Bickings

of Jamaica, recently graduated from Earlham College, was introduced, and Rachel Bottom, just returned from China gave a brief account of her experience of teaching and of general conditions in that part of China. The meeting closed with prayer.

Edith F. Bates.

Recording Secretary and Corporation Clerk.

1928

The annual meeting of the Womans Missionary Society of the Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England was held at Vassalboro Maine (Oak Grove) Sixth Month 26th 1928.

The president Ellen L. Winslow was in the chair and the devotional period was in charge of Ruthanna M. Simms - Executive Secretary of the Home Mission Board of the Five Years meeting.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The report of the corresponding Secretary included a summary of reports from the auxiliaries, letters from missionaries and reference to the Triennial Conference of the Womans Missionary Union which nine of our members were privileged to attend. We also received the information that the name our Corporation had been officially changed and now reads: The Womans Missionary Society of the Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England.

The Treasurer's report showed a balance of $260.58

Superintendents of departments gave reports on - Scriptural Giving and Birthday Boxes; Junior and Juvenile Work with an excellent exhibition, Mark

and gifts by the Children of the Yearly Meeting.

The literature report was given by our president, Ellen A. Winslow, who called attention to the missionary literature, mission junior work and pictures on exhibition at Yearly Meeting. She also reported on the reading contest held during the year, in which a number of the auxiliaries took part; the main prize going to South Durham auxiliary for the greatest number of points gained, while Tonic and Boston were very in order.

All reports were approved and the nominating committee submitted their report as follows:— Officers for the year 1928-1929—

President - Ellen A. Winslow. 1st Vice Pres. Marion E. Kelsey. 2nd Vice Pres. Elda R. Henderson.

Corresponding Secretary - Frances E. Hacker.

Recording Sec'y and Correspondence Clerk. Edith T. Bailey.

Treasurer - Gertrude F. Smith.

Auditor - Mary H. Gove - Laura B. Hyslett.

Supt. of Literature Giving - Nannette Chance.

" " Literature Clara V. Mumford.

Junior and Juvenile Work - Minnie A. Barrett.
Representative on Northfield Com. Alice B. Gifford.
Northfield Camp Center - Rachel Morton.
Nominating Committee: Lottie M. Bailey, Lucy J. Meader, Ada Jones.
The report was accepted and the secretary was instructed to cast one ballot for the officers as named. They were appointed to their respective offices for one year.

Ruth Anna M. Simmons spoke briefly on the work of the Home Mission Board among the Indians. The prospect for Camp Priendly at Northfield this year is very encouraging.

The meeting then adjourned.

Edith T. Bailey.
Recording and Corresponding Sec'y.

The annual meeting of the woman's missionary society of the yearly meeting of friends for New England was held at Providence R.I. 6-20, 1927.

The meeting was opened with a devotional period led by Marion E. Kelsey. The minutes of the last meeting were read and accepted. The corresponding secretary's report embodied the activities of the auxiliaries for the year; two societies have been revived and one new one organized. The total number of societies is seventeen with a membership of 309 annual members and 22 honorary members. The grading cards system recommended by the Women's Missionary Union has been adopted and ten societies have already sent in their reports for the year. First place, thus far, going to Sonic, with a total of 110 points and second place to Winthrop with 105 points.

A letter from Ramallah gave accounts of efforts for increased activities at the Girls School; Junior and Girls Reserves being new

undertakings for increasing interest and development. The Treasurer's report, duly audited, was presented showing a balance of $67.07.

The Supt. of Scripture Giving, Henrietta Stone, urged our considering tithing a privilege and a duty. Supt. of Literature, Clara H. Mumford, referred to the study book recommended for this year, From Jerusalem to Jerusalem.

In her report of Junior and Juvenile work Virginia A. Barrett emphasized the fact that children must be instructed in the work of missions and develope the spirit of friendship and interest in other peoples in their needs; and referred to the gifts sent from this country to Japan and to Mexico which have had lasting effects. Edelma Tipping gave some report of the new department of Young Women's Work. The Summer Conferences have an appeal for some of the younger women and some find opportunity for development with the work of the Woman's Missionary society.

Alice C. Gifford spoke in the interests of

Northfield and reminded us that five workers have gone out to needy fields from our young people's Camp Friendly.

The report of the reading contest shows increased interest, forestal groups have taken part this year - including some children. The prizes went to Winthrop and South Durham.

Lucy F. Wilder gave an interesting brief account of her recent visit to Ramallah.

All reports were approved.

The report of the Nominating Committee was as follows: - Officers for the year; 1930

President - Edna A. Winslow.

Vice Presidents - Marion E. Kelsey, Edna R. Hanson

Corresponding Secretary - Frances E. Wheeler,

Recording Sec - Edith F. Bailey

Treasurer - Gertrude F. Smith.

Auditors - Mary A. Cone, Laura B. Aydelott:

Rep Committee - Louisa Prescott.

Nominating Committee - Mabel E. Bailey, Lettie M. Bailey, Lydia F. Jones -

Suffrage Department.--
Agricultural Living - Henrietta Crane.
Literature - Flora Dr. Mumford - Alice S. Hartnett.
Junior & Juvenile Work. Minnie A Barrett, Thelma
Griffing -
Young Women's work - Thelma A. Griffing -
Representative to Northfield Committee -
Alice L. Safford -
Northfield Camp leader - Marie Trickey.
The report was approved and by the
usual custom the officers and duty
elected for one year.
The meeting then adjourned -
Edith F. Bailey.
Recording Secretary -
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At the annual meeting of the Woman's missionary society of the Yearly meeting of Friends for New England held at Pleasant Cove Maine - 6th mo. 23 - 1930

The meeting was opened with devotional services by Alvano C. Goddard who soon goes to Ramallah to serve in the meeting and other interests of the Mission. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The corresponding secretary reported 17 auxiliaries - a total membership of 314 - Items of interest were noted from several of the mission fields; representatives from most of the fields have visited a number of the auxiliaries during the year. Thirteen societies have studied the prescribed study book - From Jerusalem to Jerusalem - and several have used "The Crowded Ways" additionally. Interest in the reading contest has been well maintained.

Two of our auxiliaries received recognition from the General Conference of the Homemission-ary Union, for high scores on the grading cards, Point leading with 125 points - Westbrook had 120 pts. and four others had more than 105 points -

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The Treasurers report was read and approved. Our pledges for the year were met and the balance in the treasury is $114.78.

The report of superintendent of Scriptural Giving was read and accepted. Junior and Juvenile work reported by Winifred Bassett included accounts of the Christmas boxes sent to some missions and money to others. The children are interested this year in the Treasure Chests for the children of the Philippines.

A brief report of the General Conference of the W. M. Union held in Oskaloosa Iowa in May of this year, written by Alice W. Jones who was our representative at that meeting, was read.

The reading contest which has been of increasing interest was reported by Ellen C. Winslow. The first prize goes to Portland auxiliary with honorable mention to Winthrop and E. Farmingdale.

The nominating committee presented their report as follows:— President, Ellen A. Winslow; Vice Pres.— Marion E. Kelsey, Elsie R. Anderson; Corresponding secretary — Frances E. Wheeler;

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1910,

Recording Sec. - Edith F. Bailey, Treas. - Gertrude S. Smith,
Auditors - Mary A. Gove, Laura G. Aydelott,
Exp. Committee - Louise Newell -
Nominating Committee - Lydia F. Jones, Alice W. Jones,
Mabel S. Bailey.
Superintendents of Departments:
Spiritual Giving - Henrietta Chase,
Literature - Clara M. Mumford.
Junior & Juvenile Work - Corona R. Cooke.
Young People's Work - Thelma A. Griffing.
Northfield Conf. Rep. - Alice A. Gifford -
" " Camp Leader - Sarah Richmond -
The report was accepted and the officers duly appointed for one year -
The meeting then adjourned
Edith F. Bailey,
Secretary.

1931.

The Womans Missionary Society of the yearly Meeting of Friends for New England met at Providence R. I., 6th Mo. 24th - 1931.

The president, Ellen A. Winslow was in the chair. and the devotional period was led by Edna Heilund with a scripture lesson from the book of Micah, and prayer with special thought for our missionaries.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The report of the corresponding Secretary was given and a letter from Rachel Mostrom, Nanking China, was read.

The Treasurer's report showed a balance at the end of the year of $11.72. Reports approved.

The superintendents of departments gave interesting accounts of the different lines of activities;- Literature; Clara N. Munford gave an introduction to the prescribed study book for the year, - Christ comes to the Village - referring to others more especially recommended for Home Mission study, and reported on the number of subscribers to the Missionary Advocate and other Periodicals.

Junior and juvenile activities have included Treasure Chests and cash contributions sent to the Children of Porto Rico; (Puerto Rico) - the June Christmas-tree, a feature of the Junior Yearly Meeting program, providing gifts to be sent to the Children of our mission fields in time for Christmas; - and various methods of providing missionary instruction to the Children of our meetings and Bible schools.

The report of Young People's work was given by Bessie Smith. Alice E. Byford encouraged attendance at the Northfield conference and Sarah Richmond, leader of Camp Friendly, gave a mental picture of a day at Northfield.

Scripture Giving was reported by Hannetta Chance. The report of the reading contest was given by Ellen A. Hinsdale. The contest is to be continued this year. Reports were approved.

Margaret T. Jenkins, at home on furlough from Chentu, West China, gave an interesting account of the life and conditions in China and of the changes for the better in the past few years

especially the opportunities for education for women. The nominating committee presented their report as follows:-
President, Ellen A. Wilson.
Vice Pres. 1st Marion A. Kelly - 2d, Ella R. Henderson.
Corresponding Sec - Frances E. Wheler.
Recording Secy. Edith S. Bailey.
Treasurer - Gertrude F. Swift.
Auditors - Mary A. Lowe, Laura B. Hyslop.
Cing - Com. Louisa Pincoli.
Nominating Committee - Alice W. Jones, Mabel V. Bailey, Laura Jones -
Superintendents of Departments:-
Literature - Clara V. Mumford.
Scriptural Living - Emma Hall.
Junior & Juvenile Work - Corona R. Cooke.
Young People's Work - Amanda Prier
Cup-of-Cold-Water Com. Anna Richmond -
Temp Leader - Sarah Richmond -
Report accepted. Officers duly appointed -
The meeting then adjourned -

Edith S. Bailey
Recorn - Sec -

1932.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England was held at Ocean Park, Maine, 6th mo. 22nd, 1932.

The President, Ellen A. Winslow, was in the chair and the devotional period was in charge of Alvano C. Goddard, recently returned from a service of two years at the Mission schools in Palestine. He told us something of the significance of the stories of the life of Jesus with which one is impressed by living in the Holy Land; bringing a message from the Woman at the Well, with its reclaiming evidence thru love, and in the same spirit we today may hear the words - "I that speak to thee am He".

The minutes of the last meeting were read and accepted - The Corresponding Secretary's report gave 15 auxiliaries with 230 annual members - Most of the societies have had visits from Missionaries during the year. The Treasurer's report was read by the Cor. Sec. - The pledges for the year had been met - and the balance to date was $9.88.

The Supt. of Literature, Clara H. Mumford, reported 53 subscribers to the Missionary Advocate and 13 to other publications of interest to the Church and missions. Attention was called to books on exhibition in Jordan Hall at this time and to the study book suggested for use in the missionary meetings during the year; Lady Fourth Daughter of China.

A detailed report of Junior and Juvenile Work was given by Corona Rayle Cooke, embracing methods of missionary instruction in Bible Schools, reading contests among the children and the work and interest in connection with the June Christmas Tree, which is a part of the regular program of the Junior Yearly Meeting.

The gifts this year are to go to Ramallah.

The report of the reading contest was given by Ellen C. Hinslow. The enterprise has met with increasing interest in most of the auxiliaries and is to be continued.

Anna Richmond told of the encouraging experiences at Northfield.

1932

The reports of the superintendents were approved.

The Nominating committee submitted their report as follows:-

For President - Ellen A. Winslow.
1st Vice " Marion E. Kelsey.
2nd " " Elda R. Henderson.
Corresponding secretary - Frances E. Wheeler.
Recording secretary - Edith S. Battey
Treasurer - Gertrude F. Smith.
Auditors. Mary A. Gove. Laura B. Aydelott.
Box Committee - Louisa Prescott.
Nom. Committee - Alice W. Jones, Mabel T. Bailey
Laura E. Jones.
Supt. of literature - Clara M. Mumford
Junior + Juvenile work - Alice C. Gifford
Dorcas Armstrong.

Young Peoples work - Beverly Powell.
Representative Northfield Committee
Anna Richmond - Jennie Callister -
Camp Leader - Isabel Hartenck - associate Oakwood School N.Y.
The office of Supt. of Scriptural Living was not filled.

The report of the nominating committee was accepted and the appointments were made in the usual way -

With a service of song by Katherine Hurland the meeting adjourned.

Edith I. Bailey:
Secretary

1933.

Report of the Annual Meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Yearly Meeting of Friends for New England, held at Ocean Park, Maine, 6th month 21st 1933.

The President was in the chair. The meeting was opened with singing and Eddie S. Hinckle had charge of the devotional period. The Chinese pennant on exhibition was explained.

The Corresponding Secretary gave her summary of the reports received from the auxiliaries and information from the different mission fields.

The Treasurer's report gives a balance in the treasury of $17.42 though some of the pledges were not fully met.

The "point system" for the

Honor Roll was explained by Ellen A. Winslow, who also gave a detailed report of the reading contest and the awarding of prizes.

The Superintendent of Literature reported 31 suscribers to the Missionary Advocate, and called attention to the books on exhibition, with special reference to the reccomendations of the Central Committee of books for the year's study.

Alice C Gifford reported for the Junior and Juvenile work that ten meetings had sent folios to China and others had sent contributions to the Miner's Relief Fund. The children are much interested in the Junior Yearly Meeting and the gifts from the Junior

Christmas tree, a part of their regular annual program are to go to the Indian Mission stations this year.

Josephine Carr brought before us the subject of Scriptural Giving and urged our consideration of our responsibilities as we realize our blessings are ours to share.

Anna Richmond related experiences at Northfield, and told of some changes that are being made in some departments. The girls of our group will be in the Methodist Camp this year.

The report of the Nominating Committee submitted was as follows:-

For President, Ellen A. Winslow
Vice Presidents { 1 Marion E. Kelsey
2 Ida P. Henderson
Corresponding Secretary
Frances E. Wheeler
Recording Secretary, Edith T. Battey
Treasurer, Gertrude F. Smith
Auditors { Mary A. Gove
Laura B. Aydelott
Superintendents of Departments
Literature, Mrs Lucia A. Wheeler
Junior & Juvenille Work
{ Alice C. Gifford
Lorcas Armstrong
Systematic or Scriptural Giving
Marie Norton
Representative on Northfield Committee
Anna Richmond
Nominating Committee
Laura E. Jones
Sophia E. Hawkes - Mary Paige Ware
The report was approved and the officers were duly

elected for one year.

The department of Young Womens Work is discontinued in our organization, as is also the office of Box Committee.

Respectfully submitted

Recording Secretary

1934.

The annual Report of the New England Woman's Missionary Society, Ocean Park, Maine - sixth month 27th 1934.

Ellen Winslow presided and Edna C Haviland acted as recording secretary pro tem.

Helen Tyron from Philadelphia led the devotions. She strongly urged that we open our hearts and homes to the foreigner in this country.

The report of the last annual meeting was read and accepted.

The recommendation from the Executive Committee that the Department of Systematic Giving be changed to Dept. of Stewardship was accepted.

The following reports were then read and accepted:-
The Corresponding Secretary reported 13 auxiliaries, 171 annual members, and 15 Honorary Members. Tonic's way of raising money by the calendar method was unique and appreciated by many.
The Treasurer's report showed a balance of 40.39 in the Treasury.
Marion E. Kelsey took the chair while Ellen G. Winslow reported the reading contest for the year. Weinthrop had 47 adult readers. One of their members read the most, 834 points. For the Yearly Meeting there were 187 adults and 50 children in the contest this year, besides 35 grammar school

children to whom their teachers read enough for 25 points each. In all over 1500 books were read.

Lucia A Wheeler, Supt of Literature reported orders for both study books and others. She urged members to subscribe for the Friends Missionary Advocate and the Auxiliaries to report accurately as possible the number of subscribers in their societies.

Alice C Gifford, Supt. of Junior & Juvenile work reported more missionary instruction in Bible Schools. There have been special gifts to the different mission fields. A few of our little Friends' groups have been organized as

as missionary units called "Quaker Treasure Seekers" and "Friendly Light Bearers" as planned as planned by Corona Payle Cook. The correspondence with the graduating class of the African school and also with the Shawnee Indians has also been stimulating. Other evidences of activity are shown in the June Christmas Tree, reading contests, missionary speakers, World Friendship project, passing on of Sunday School papers to shutins and in other ways.

Marie B. Norton, Supt of Stewardship, reported some mite boxes used and some Meetings having reading contests.

Carona Rayle Cook invited as many as possible to go with her to Northfield.

The Nominating Committee reported the following names which were elected on the ballot of the Secretary.

President - Ellen A Winslow

Vice President - { Marion E Kelsey
Alice N Jones

Corresponding Secretary
Frances E Wheeler

Recording Secretary
Edna C Haviland

Treasurer - Gertrude F Smith

Auditors - { Mary A Howe
Laura B Aydelott

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Sophia E Hawkes
Mary Paige Ware
Mabel A Thayer

Superintendents of Departments
Literature, Lucia A Wheeler
Junior Juvenile Work
Dorcas Armstrong
Stewardship Marie B Norton
Representatives on Northfield Committee
Mabel G. Bailey - Corona Gayle Cook
Northfield Camp Leader
Estella Wood.
The meeting adjourned,
Emma C. Newman

Recording Secretary
Pro tem.

AMY S. HAYDEN
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Nov. 27, 1949

Dear Gertrude, (Smith?)

I have made a little progress on finding out why the W. F. M. S. was incorporated. I went through a pile of old Yearly Meeting minutes after I found in the records of our Executive Board 1897-1900 a report of the "Trustees of the Permanent Fund". For those years the pages of the Y. M. minutes which cover the business of the W. F. M. S. are pasted into the record book. After 1900 I could not find anything definite in our minutes. When I found that I wanted to investigate further. At last I found that in 1925 the Permanent Fund of the Miss. Soc. was turned over to the Board of Managers of Investments and Permanent Funds of the Y. M. The information is found in the Report of the Board of Auditors. 1920-7 The amount

was $3,503.56 and the income was to be paid to the society. Income was reported by our treasurer for a few years and then ceased. I have not checked the list of funds involved in the Lynn affair but no doubt this ~~fund~~ was in the pool.

The report on those funds shows that probably in two years more there will be a settlement and there is a possibility of recovering 60 %.

I will enclose the report from a 1910 Y.M. minute which may interest you. The list of life members is given. The Constitution and By-laws states that the $20 for life memberships and $10 for ~~honorary members~~ memorial gift shall constitute a permanent fund.

In the records I hauled out of a cupboard at the meeting house. I found the were first three and then two trustees. The last two were Mary Paige + Emily Lobi

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY
NEW ENGLAND
YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS

Sunday

Dear Gertrude (Smith?)

I am enclosing the conference offering $55.

I have just started to think about the nominating com. I have not been asked to continue as treas. and began to wonder if there was a reason. I haven't heard or felt any indications of dissatisfaction except from A. G. Amesbury. Last night I looked up the names of com. Maude Fowler is chairman and that may account for it. Although she is out of the hospital and has been at her cousins I don't think she is able to take any responsibility She was to go to Friends Home last week for three weeks. Probably she has not even remembered the nom. com. Edna Haviland is next on the list. Would it be a good idea for you to remind her of the situation in case the com. is not functioning. The fact you said Esther is the incoming pres. it may be they are making up the slate or have completed it.

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You may have based your remark on the fact
that it is always expected the vice pres. will
succeed. It would be dreadful to get to
our meeting and have no report on nominations
Are the names of members lost by death
brought in at our annual meeting? It would
be in order to stand in remembrance of Alice
Farnham as a member of the executive anyway.
I shall be glad to have a copy of what
was sent you in regard to time of our meeting
at Y.M. I am wondering how much if anything
should be said in the annual meeting.
We would have to speak very discreetly there
It seems to me more effective to call a meeting
of the executive + the pres. or a representative
from each auxiliary and have a heart to
heart talk. The women will express themselves
more frankly and will take back to their
meetings just what is going on.
It won't be known until committees are
organized who will be members of the Ex Council

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The members appointed by Y.M. must be one from each Quarterly M. These with the chairman or rep. from each of the com. plus ex secy. & clerk will form the Ex Council and it is that body that appoints the arrangements com. so we have no idea if they will be considerate of miss. interests or not.

Ella Smart wrote she is planning to attend Y.M.

I hope you are not too tired before you start for the Conf. to get some enjoyment out of it. Riding so far may be a little tiring. I am sorry, very sorry, you can't

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Mary Paige doesn't even remember we had any funds. Francis Wheeler had a faint remembrance of something. Emily White was apparently the one of the ~~committee~~ trustees who paid the income to the treasurer for several times it states "Received from Emily White, trustee"

Now I presume they made their annual report to the Secy. of Corporations in Mass. as long as they handled the funds. Sad was the day when they ceased to handle them. Philip Gifford thinks that we are alright in letting the thing drift because we are not a tax paying corporation. I have not got legal advice yet. Francis Wheeler thinks we may as well stay incorporated.

I found in our executive record of 1923 that they considered turning the permanent funds over to the F.M.

but no action was taken. Laura Aydelott was recording secy. But in 1925 there was no minute that they had turned them over. In some Y. M. minutes there is a list of permanent funds of the Y. M. [illegible] is such a list in 1926.

This throws some [illegible]

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With Thanksgiving over perhaps I can clear some things away before Christmas is upon me. Our family is small so that should not be too busy a time and we go to Wollaston and Weymouth for the holidays. I wish you both a merry Christmas.

Sincerely,
Amy

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